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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Orest W. Blaschuk et al.
Application No. : 10/006,869
Filed : December 3, 2001
For : COMPOUNDS AND METHODS FOR MODULATING
NONCLASSICAL CADHERIN-MEDIATED FUNCTIONS

Examiner : Marianne P. Allen
Art Unit No. : 1631
Docket No. : 100086.407C7
Date : June 30, 2003

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated April 30, 2003, applicants hereby elect Group I, claims 1-8, 13-14, 63-66, and 105-117, directed to modulating agents, for examination at this time. With regard to the Election of Species Requirement, Applicants further elect the CAR sequence CDAEC (SEQ ID NO:910).

In view of the above election, applicants hereby cancel claims 9-12 and ~~67-68~~ without prejudice to the filing of any divisional, continuation, or continuation-in-part application. Consideration of the elected claims is now requested.

Respectfully submitted,
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